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 Total

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 60
 100

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 100

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 70
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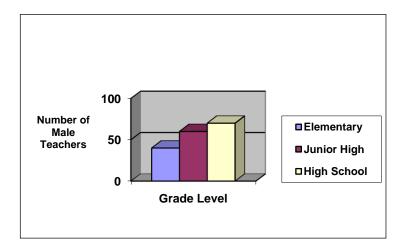


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